



**Rev. Bruce Perrin**

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**Sunday**

**25<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

**People who can't see  
(Disciples and the Blind)**



**St Mary's**

**8.00am**  
**Morning Prayer**  
*Jan Malpas*

**11.15am**  
**All Age Worship**  
*Bruce Perrin*



**Christ Church**

**9.15am**  
**Morning Worship**  
*Jan Malpas*



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# Welcome!

We're so glad that you can join us today as we meet with God, to worship Him together, engage with His word (the Bible) and learn how we can live life as God intended, in all its fullness.

If you need any assistance, please speak to one of our stewards, they would love to help you with anything about the service, any children/youth work, and the facilities etc.

Whether you are just wondering about faith, or have been a follower of Jesus for many years, we pray that you will be blessed by your time with us as much as we are by having you join us today.

Every blessing,

Bruce (Vicar)

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## Readings and Intercessions



**St Mary's**

**Readings 8.00am & 11.15am**

Psalm 146 (pg. 632)

Luke 18 : 31 – end (Pg.1053)

**Readers**

**8.00am** *Dorothy Meakin*

**11.15am** *Peter Sykes*

**Intercessor** *John Carruthers*



**Christ Church**

**Readings**

Psalm 146 (pg. 632)

TBA

Luke 18 : 31 – end (Pg.1053)

TBA

**Intercessor** *TBA*

## Next Week's Services – 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. 2026

**St. Mary's 8.00am. Morning Prayer**

**11.15am. Morning Worship + Children's Group**

**Christ Church – 9.15am. Holy Communion (BCP)**

## Events

To find out more about any of the events please speak to a member of the welcome team or visit [hollingworthchurch.org.uk](http://hollingworthchurch.org.uk)

Date	Time	Place	Details
Mon. 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan.	2.00pm	St. Mary's	House Group
Mon. 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan.	3.15pm	St. Mary's	Warm Messy Church, Children, parents/carers all welcome.
Tues. 27 <sup>th</sup> Jan.	9.15am	St. Mary's	Prayers for local and international issues. 30 mins.
Wed. 28 <sup>th</sup> Jan.	9.00am	St. Mary's	Open House- social gathering, all are welcome.

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## Notices

**St. Mary's 11.15am Service-** If you could volunteer to help occasionally with serving tea/coffee before the service, it would be greatly appreciated. Please notify John Carruthers, Church Warden...

From Richard Pennystan – New Wine

Apologies for another invitation from a local church to an event we're running. I know we all get lots of them – but I make no apologies for the subject of this one.

IJM are running a series of Prayer for Justice events around the country in February and we are delighted to be hosting one at St. Chads on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> Feb. We'd love to invite you and your church to come and join us.

I know it's not easy to persuade anyone in our church to travel midweek to other church for events like this, but I do hope there might be some who share a kingdom passion to see an end to human trafficking who might go for it. It would be great to draw folk from around our area to be a part of the evening. As well as praying, we hope that it's a powerful time of worship and encountering God together too, so come for time in God's Presence.



## Prayer for justice

Throughout February, churches across the world unite with **International Justice Mission** and **24-7 Prayer** in a powerful movement of prayer - crying out to God for freedom and justice for those suffering under slavery, trafficking, and violence.

**We invite you to join us on Tuesday 10th February 8:00pm in church. (St Chads Church Romiley)**

We will stand, **pray**, and **worship** together for 90 minutes, believing that God will move.

Jill Hookway who is running it writes:

I care soooo deeply about those trapped in slavery, trafficking, violence. Especially women and children. Especially those trapped in sex-trafficking and slavery. Too many to think of. So, I'm stepping up and out and hosting this event. In partnership with my friends at international Justice Mission.

I would love it if you would please consider joining me and my friends. To think of those trapped and to pray.

Just 90 minutes. In Romiley. Come and make a stand.

Even- especially! If you've not been in church for ever, and are unsure about praying. Come.

I believe we can make a difference.

If you want to ask Jill any questions about it, please do get in touch with her.

Email [jill.hookway@gmail.com](mailto:jill.hookway@gmail.com)

## Vision Statement

Our vision is to see our church making a difference to the lives of the people in Hollingworth, Tintwistle and the surrounding area through the power of the Holy Spirit, our commitment to God's word and our worship of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Through the power of prayer, inspiring worship and the gifts God gives us we want to see lives changed, disciples growing, people healed, needs met and God's Kingdom extended.

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It costs about £1,000 per week to run St Mary's.

This all comes from generous gifts from the congregation.

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(If you pay tax you can also gift aid your gift)



**St Mary's  
& Christ Church**  
Growing Jesus' Kingdom Together